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Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

Applicants hereby petition for an extension of time for response from the date of the Examiner's action as needed, the fee being as follows:

()	one month extension	\$ 110
()	two months extension	\$ 420
(x)	three months extension	\$ 950
()	four months extension	
	(not beyond statutory time period)	\$1480

Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.

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Fee Calculation for Amended Claims

The fee is calculated as shown below:

	Col 1		Col 2	Col 3	Other than a small entity	
	Claims Remaining After Amendment		Highest Number	Present Extra	Rate	Additional Fee
			Previously Paid For			
Total	40	Minus	20	= 20	x 18 =	\$360.00
Indep	5	Minus	3	= 2	x 86 =	\$172.00
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					Total	\$832.00

The "Highest Number Previously Paid For" (Total or Independent) is the highest number found from the equivalent box in Col. 1 of a prior amendment or the number of claims originally filed.

[] No additional fee is required for the amendment(s).

[X] Charge \$1782.00 to Deposit Account No. 19-2570. Two copies of this form are enclosed.

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Respectfully submitted,

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